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APPLICANT: DAVID E. KING  
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FOR: SHAFT DELASHING METHOD AND  
ASSEMBLY WITH WIRELESS INTERFACE

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action mailed October 8, 2004 in regard to the above Patent Application, Applicants request reconsideration of the claims in view of the following amendments and remarks:

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**CONCLUSION**

It is believed that the foregoing amendments and remarks are fully responsive to the Office Action and that the pending claims, claims 2-3, 5-10, 13-18, 20, and 22-24 herein should be allowable to the Applicant.

In the event the Examiner has any queries regarding the instantly submitted response, the undersigned respectfully request the courtesy of a telephone conference to discuss any matters in need of attention.

Although fees are dealt with in a separate transmittal sheet, if there are additional charges with respect to this matter or otherwise, please charge them to Deposit Account No. 06-1130.

Respectfully Submitted,

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**CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I**

		(Column 1)	(Column 2)
TOTAL CLAIMS			
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	
TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS	24 minus 20 =	4	
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4 minus 3 =	1	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT			<input type="checkbox"/>

SMALL ENTITY TYPE	OTHER THAN OR SMALL ENTITY
RATE	RATE
BASIC FEE	395.00
OR	BASIC FEE
X 25	790.00
OR	X 50
X 100	X 200
OR	+360
TOTAL	TOTAL

\* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2

**CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II**

		(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
	Total	18	Minus	24 = -
Independent	5	Minus	4	= 1
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				<input type="checkbox"/>

SMALL ENTITY OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
X 25	—
X 50	—
X 100	200
+180	—
TOTAL ADDT. FEE	200

		(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
	Total	Minus	**	=
Independent	Minus	***		
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				<input type="checkbox"/>

RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
X 25	—	X 50	—
X 100	200	X 200	—
+180	—	+360	—
TOTAL ADDT. FEE	200	TOTAL ADDT. FEE	200

		CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total	*	Minus	**	=	
Independent	*	Minus	***	=	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					<input type="checkbox"/>

RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
X 25	—	X 50	—
X 100	200	X 200	—
+180	—	+360	—
TOTAL ADDT. FEE	200	TOTAL ADDT. FEE	200

\* If the entry in column 1 is less than the entry in column 2, write "0" in column 3.

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